2. DDT

Decision: SC-11/2: DDT

Background:

The Conference of the Parties encouraged Parties using DDT to adopt alternative indoor residual spraying products and/or insecticide-treated nets, as indicated by local data, in the context of insecticide resistance management strategies.

The Conference of the Parties decided to evaluate, at its twelfth meeting, the continued need for DDT for disease vector control on the basis of the available scientific, technical, environmental and economic information, including that provided by the DDT expert group. The Conference of the Parties also decided to continue, subject to the availability of resources, through the DDT expert group, the intersessional process of consultations with Parties in the DDT register on a possible phase-out plan for DDT and withdrawal from the DDT register.

Follow-up:

	Call for information	Respondents	Deadlines for submission
(a)	Parties currently in the DDT register are invited to review their needs and to transmit an updated notification of intention to produce and/or use DDT or a notification of withdrawal from the register	Parties	31 December 2023
(b)	Parties that have identified DDT stockpiles are urged to provide information related to those stockpiles to the Secretariat through their national reports under Article 15 of the Convention	Parties	Information to be submitted as soon as possible.
(c)	Parties are encouraged to consider putting forward a proposal, for consideration by the Conference of the Parties at its twelfth meeting, to amend the interval of the submission of information on DDT pursuant to paragraph 4 of part II of Annex B, through the DDT questionnaire, every two years so as to enable the consideration of the matter by the Conference of the Parties at every ordinary meeting	Parties	No deadline specified; information to be submitted as soon as possible.

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